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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Edward Barocela  
Appl. No.: 10/811,735  
Filed: March 29, 2004  
For: HIGH SPEED MISSILE WING AND  
ASSOCIATED METHOD

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NASA DECLARATION

I, Edward Barocela, citizen of the United States of America, residing at Ballwin, Missouri; declare:

That I made and conceived the invention described and claimed in Application Number 10/811,735, filed in the United States of America on March 29, 2004, titled HIGH SPEED MISSILE WING AND ASSOCIATED METHOD.

That I made and conceived this invention while employed by The Boeing Company. That the invention is related to the work I am employed to perform and was made within the scope of my employment duties; that the invention was made during working hours and with the use of the facilities, equipment, materials, information and services of The Boeing Company.

That the invention was first conceived by me with funds under an Air Force study contract entitled Air Launched Vehicle Investigation (ALVIN) under Contract No. F08635-02-0133. That the ALVIN contract did not include a patent rights clause, such that the invention is not a subject invention and the U.S. government therefore does not have rights in the invention. That further development and reduction to practice of the invention was made by me and was

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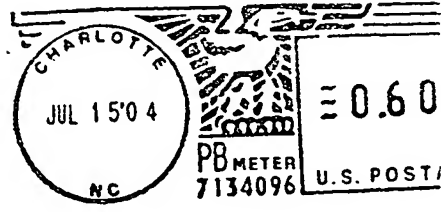
That to the best of my knowledge and belief the invention was not made (conceived or first actually reduced to practice) under, nor is there any relationship of the invention to, the performance of any work under any contract of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

The undersigned inventor declares further that all statements herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Inventor's Signature: Edward Barocela  
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